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AMPLIFICATION AND DETECTION OF

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, inclu	, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.					
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Declaration corresponds to Appl. No.10/538,437 filed June 20, 2005, entitled						
"METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PCR-AMPLIFICATION AND DETECTION OF						
NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES."						
	English language specification, claims, and Abstract with () sheets of					
	drawings.					
	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.					
	Attached is a copy of Form PCT/DO/EO/905.					
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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- English Translation of the IA filed on 06/20/2005
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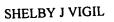
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